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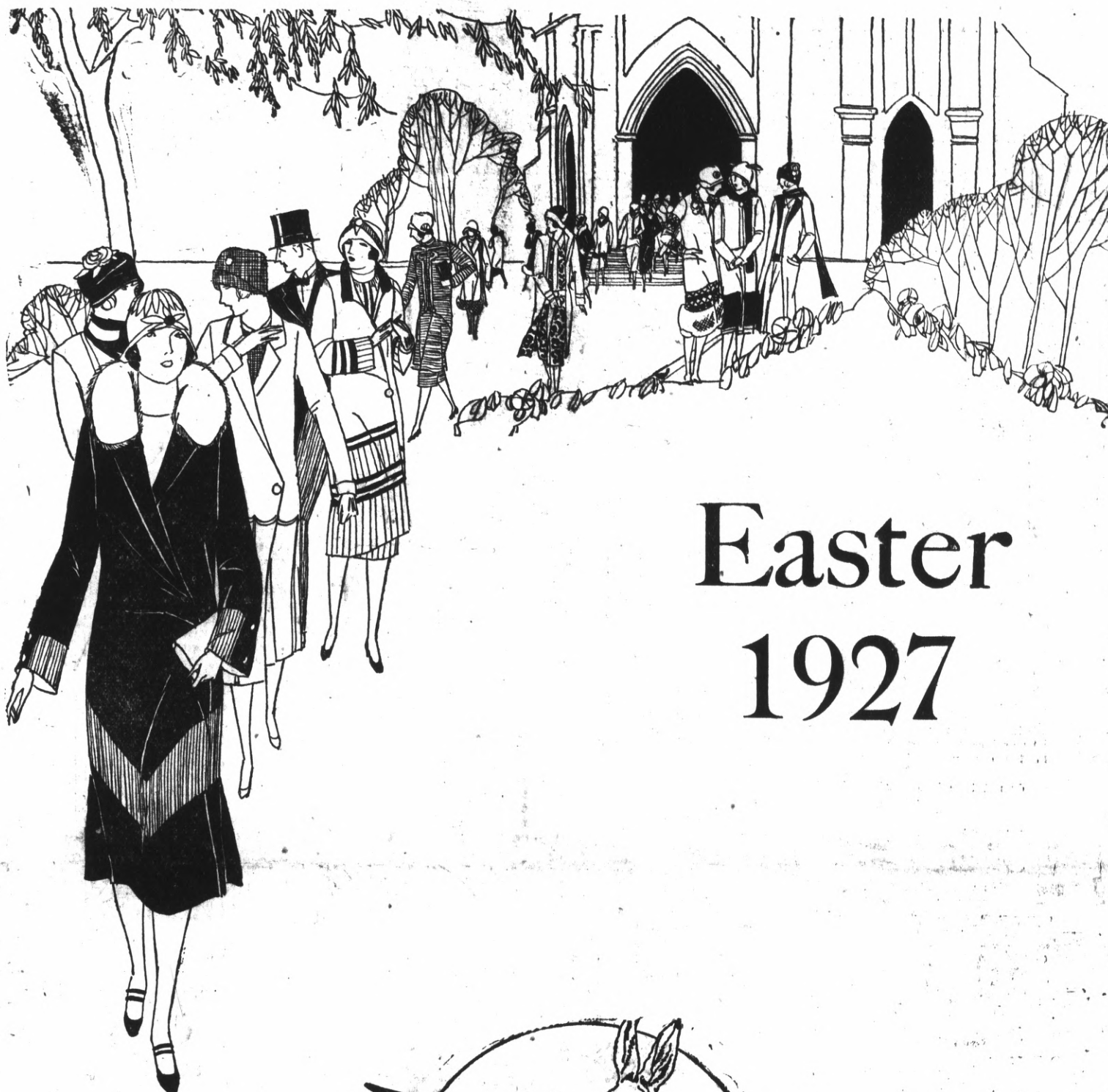
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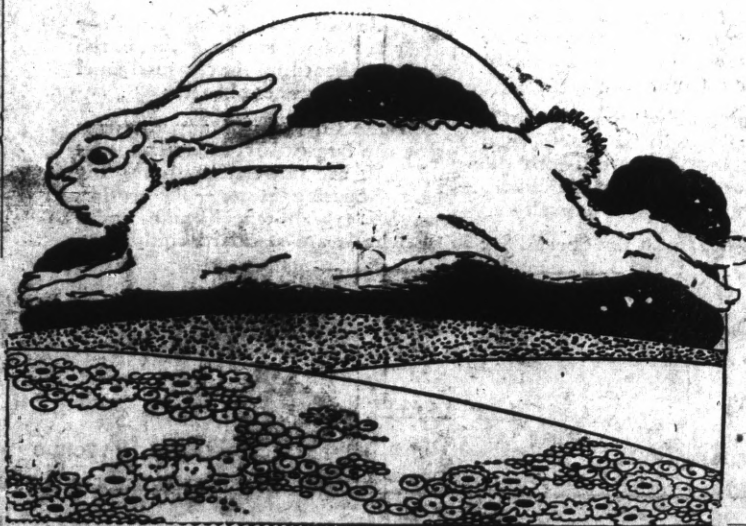
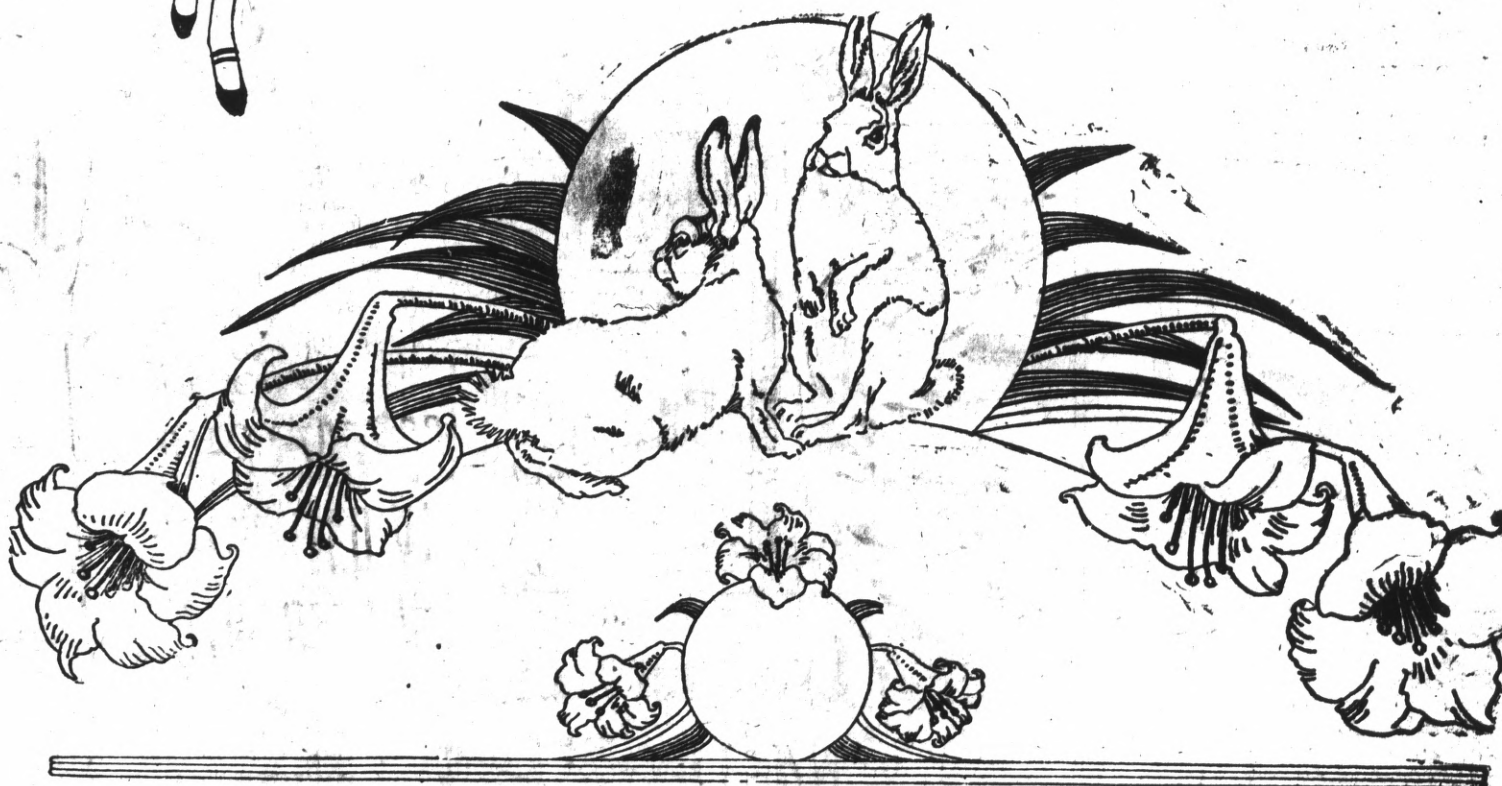
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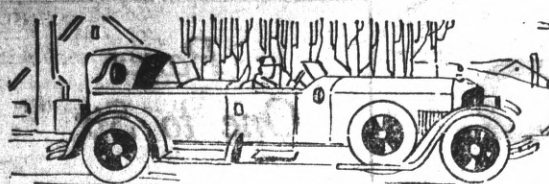
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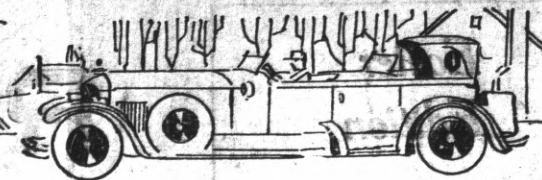


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Automobile News



GEORGE OLSON REVEALS TREND TO OPEN CARS

In the short space of one year, the gain in closed car shipments to export circles by Chandler and other leading manufacturers has been so phenomenal that it definitely points the trend of future market demand," George Olson, local dealer, 1255 Macdonald avenue, declared yesterday.

Analysis of recent Chandler export sales reveals the surprising degree with which the closed car is displacing the open car as the

preferred type by the foreign buyer.

In January and February 1926, the Chandler organization's export shipments were 81 per cent open cars and 19 per cent closed. Just a year later, in January and February 1927, the gain in closed cars popularity was strikingly shown by export shipments which comprised 52 per cent closed cars and only 48 per cent open types.

In such countries as England, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Sweden, Denmark, Australia, Japan, China and Egypt, the closed car has definitely displaced the open types in popularity, Olson stated. Strangely enough, the open car is still the preferred type in Finland, India, South Africa and in such South American centers as Brazil and Venezuela.

Climate doesn't seem to be the determining factor in choosing between closed and open cars, for in Switzerland, Sweden and England the weather averages the

AUTO CAMPS TO BE REGULATED BY THE STATE

Adoption by the senate of bill No. 178, providing for state regulation and licensing of automobile camps in California was reported yesterday by the legislative bureau of the California State Automobile association. The measure now goes to the assembly. The bill has the support of the automobile association and the motor vehicle conference and provides for licensing of automobile camps by the state board of health and their regular inspection and supervision by inspectors. The purpose of the measure is to insure a high standard of sanitation and maintenance for automobile camps in this state.

SACRAMENTO — Building permits issued here during March totaled \$673,846.

LAKEPORT — Chamber of commerce to be organized in this city year round, if anything, somewhat warmer than in Finland. Yet these first three countries are buying closed cars, while Finland still prefers open cars.

Price doesn't seem to be the deciding factor either, for the Chandler 5-Passenger touring car is priced \$50 below the Metropolitan Sedan, while the Comrade Roadster lists at the same price.

"In America, of course, the trend toward the closed car was started by price," commented Olson.

"It would be hard to find a majority of our people preferring open cars to closed where both types prices the same—yet some buyers in export market evidently do not take into consideration the greater comfort of the closed car."

"The trend toward the closed car however has definitely started in the export field as our recent sales show, and I look for a further following of America's lead in this respect."

School Children Now Receive Instruction In Traffic Safety

Beginning with a lesson on children on the dangers of playing in city streets, visual education in traffic safety, through the medium of a series of striking posters depicting traffic hazards, became a regular part of classroom work in San Francisco public schools last week under arrangements made by the California State Automobile Association with the city board of education, it was announced yesterday by Percy E. Towne, chairman of the Association's Public Safety Committee.

The association's program calls for extension of the safety instruction work to schools in cities throughout northern and central California and was launched in view of the continued increase in child fatalities resulting from traffic accidents. Fresno city schools are arranging for these lessons.

"Along with the three 'R's', capital 'S' for Safety should now take a prominent place in the lessons impressed on youthful minds," said Towne. "This plan not only should go a long way toward reduction of the tragic toll of children in street accidents but should raise the next generation of motorists to new standards of safety."

To teach children through the eye the dangers of modern traffic, each poster portrays a major traffic hazard encountered by boys and girls in their use of city streets. After being made the subject of a preliminary talk, the poster is to be kept on display for a month in the classroom when it will be replaced by a new poster. The association's Public Safety Department is supplying teachers with bulletins containing suggestions for safe conduct on streets and other data that may be used in talks to the pupils. The theme of Safety Poster No. 1 is summarized in the accompanying lecture in the sentence: "Playing on city streets is on a par with playing on railroad tracks."

After analyzing general and local statistics on accidents to children resulting from playing in the streets, the Association bulletin to teachers points out: "Children should be urged to use the playgrounds, the school yards, their own back yards if they have them, vacant lots and the city parks."

"Statistics indicate that the child begins to play an important role in the accident situation after the third year. As he grows older his part becomes bigger and less

limited in scope. Accidental fatalities in the third year are twice those in the second year. The tragic increase continues and in the age group, 5 to 9, a peak is reached, not again attained up to 64 years.

"The most dangerous months for children are April, June, August and October. In 1926 between 630 and 650 children in this country under 15 years of age lost their lives during each of these months. The lowest month in 1926 was February, also the lowest in total number of automobile deaths, when only 130 children were killed.

"Surveys and studies of the locations of child accidents show that the dangers lie just beyond the congested business district, in highly congested residential sections where yards are the exception."

MOTOR VEHICLE BILLS PASS IN STATE SENATE

The Breed bill, amending the California vehicle act, passed the senate last week and early action is expected in the assembly on this measure, which contains important changes in the state law governing motorists and ownership of automobiles, according to a report from the California State Automobile association's legislative bureau in Sacramento.

The measure is sponsored by the motor vehicle conference, on which the automobile association is represented, and the amendments are supported by Superintendent Frank Snook of the state motor vehicle division.

"The movement for public safety on streets and highways will enter a new era when this measure becomes law," said D. V. Nicholson, association legislative representative, "through the amendment that provides for assembling by the state of traffic accident statistics with a view to studying locations and causes. No such state-wide statistics are now available."

"Other safety amendments and changes to provide better protection of automobile ownership and transfer are contained in the Breed bill."

The bill will be referred to the assembly motor vehicle committee and will be heard in the lower house by Assemblyman Roy K. Nielsen of Sacramento, chairman of that committee.

NEW NASH CARS SET HIGH OVERSEAS RECORD

Automobile registrations in the United States for 1926 are now available, says Frank H. Scholes, Nash dealer. Below is a list of the 19 cars on which the factory bases percentages in computing the standing of the various dealers. The list shows the percentage of increase or decrease over 1925:

Make	Increase	Decrease
Nash	54.0	
Oldsmobile	42.0	
Oakland	41.0	
Buick	33.0	
Dodge	33.0	
Hupmobile	29.0	
Cadillac	26.0	
Chrysler	25.0	
Packard	16.0	
Willys-Knight	12.0	
Essex	11.0	
Paige-Jewett		8.0
Chandler-Cleveland		12.0
Studebaker		13.0
Overland		18.0
Hudson		19.0

Pontiac First Year
Nash leads in percentage increase with 54 percent.

That the new Nash enclosed models with their 7-bearing crankshaft motors, forward-sweeping French-type backs, and French-type roofs, have met with instant public favor abroad as well as in this country, says Frank H. Scholes, is borne out in the big increase in orders received by the company for February export shipment.

Although February, 1926, showed a Nash export sales increase of 42 1/2 percent over the biggest previous February in the history of the company, orders and shipments for last month were 56 percent greater than for the same month a year ago and it is pointed out that February, 1927, although the shortest calendar month, was over 9 percent larger than September, 1926, the best preceding month in Nash export history.

GRIDLEY — Pacific Gas & Electric company to construct gas mains in Gridley.

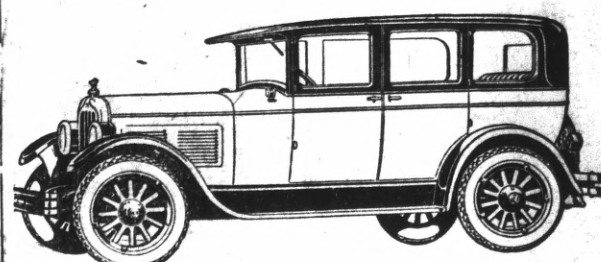
Seven Miners Buried In Tunnel Cave-In

(By Universal Service)
SEATTLE, April 9.—Seven miners were entombed recently in a tunnel cave-in at the Carbonado mine property of the Pacific Coal company. Four bodies were

brought to the surface tonight and little hope is held out for the other three being alive.

KENWOOD — Work started on construction of \$50,000 new California Pythian home near here.

MERCED — California Kadota Fig Growers' association to be organized here.



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- Cleveland Touring—with California top.

These cars have been taken in on new cars and all have been re-conditioned. COME HERE FOR YOUR BARGAINS. ACT NOW!

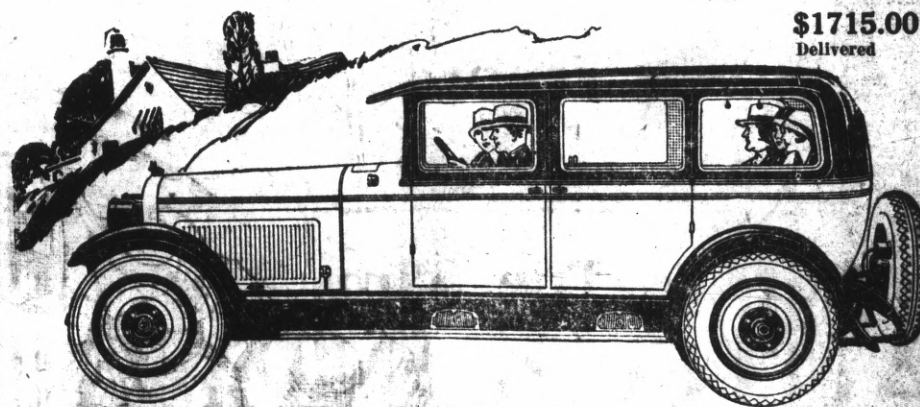
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First exemplified by the new Ambassador and Cavalier models this unique body conception was immediately hailed as the most important creative achievement in the history of American enclosed car craftsmanship.

Today this inimitably distinguished body mode is available in the new Special Sedans just introduced on both the Special Six and Advanced Six chassis at prices of wider popular appeal.

The Special Sedan on the Special Six

chassis, colorfully finished in an exquisite new blue tone is pictured above.

The extreme luxury of its interior is emphasized by the gray tufted genuine Chase Velmo Mohair Velvet upholstery, real walnut steering wheel, and select hardware in chaste pattern.

All inside window moldings and door panels are of walnut finish, as is the instrument board and the crowned panel above the instrument board.

The same fittings and appointments grace the larger Advanced Six model and both are powered with the big Nash 7-bearing motor—the world's smoothest type. 4-wheel brakes and disc wheels are standard equipment.

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By RAY

(By Universal)

DETROIT, Mich.—The first time the automobile has been used to solve a problem. With exceptions in local less used cars on than at any similar the last five years.

The dealers in that the used sales business is as a new car, say the dealers at the large.

The manufacture have been largely this condition. Yearly away year their sales organization more consideration used cars. As for one factory work sales campaign, it of considerable risk of considerable risk tising to sell used.

The result of the factories with organizations is illustrated by a one of the large manufacturers from Birmingham, Ala. refers to a general ing campaign se

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USED CARS NOW CEASE TO BE U.S. PROBLEM

By RAY PRIEST
(By Universal Service)

DETROIT, Mich., April 9.—For the first time in the history of the automobile industry used cars have ceased to be a universal problem. With only a few exceptions in localities there are less used cars on hand this spring than at any similar period within the last five years.

The dealers have recognized that the used selling end of their business is as important as the new car, say the leading merchandisers at the larger factories.

The manufacturers themselves have been largely accountable for this condition. They have hampered away year after year at their sales organizations to give more consideration to the sale of used cars. As far back as 1926, one factory worked up a general sales campaign, involving the use of considerable newspaper advertising to sell used cars.

The result of this plugging by the factories with their dealer organizations is most pertinently illustrated by a letter received by one of the largest automobile manufacturers from its dealer in Birmingham, Ala. The letter refers to a general used car selling campaign sent out a few

months before. The dealer states in part:

"We think the plan is an excellent one and has undoubtedly increased our used car business but most of all it has increased our own respect for our used car department and has been of untold value in building good-will for the company. We are living right up to the plan. No car has an O. K. tag put on it until our shop foreman has thoroughly checked the car for every item shown on the card and then signs the O. K. card. We have prospects come in hourly and ask to see only used cars that bear the O. K. tag."

Henry Ford is now trying an experiment with its Michigan wholesale branch that shows the far reaching effect of greater dealer and factory interest in used cars.

Another of the largest producers put over a programme with its dealers of selling only used cars that had been completely overhauled. These were tagged "used cars with an O. K. that counts."

The Buick motor car company is experimenting with a gold seal programme which was first placed in operation on the Pacific Coast. Results have been so good that it is said that dealers throughout the country will soon be offered an opportunity to take advantage of this program.

It is possible under this plan for the buyer of a used car to get a Buick absolutely guaranteed to be free from defects.

The plan is owned by the Buick Motor Car company and copyrighted in its entirety by the factory. Its use will be allowed only to dealers who pledge that they will follow the rules rigidly as laid down by the factory.

The rules and regulations gov-

Speed Demon Uses Richfield Gasoline



Leon Duray, winner of the Culver City Classic, and his wife are both particular about the gasoline they use. Mrs. Duray is shown getting a tankful of Richfield for her new sedan.

Buyers Control Of General Garage

A. J. Winnagel, formerly of Vallejo, has purchased full interest in the General Garage at San Pablo and E. C. Rush, following the dissolution of a partnership between the two. Winnagel bought a half interest from Rush on March 1, this year and consummated a deal last week whereby he assumes full control. J. Pearson, formerly of Richmond and late of San Rafael will be connected with the garage as mechanic.

Winnagel is well known in Richmond through his connection with the Veterans of Foreign Wars of which he is a deputy chief of staff. He has made many improvements to the garage in the way of service and equipment.

Buick Dealers At Dinner Meet

Thirteen Buick dealers and salesmen held a dinner meeting at the Hotel Carquinez, with Roy Douglass and H. F. Danforth as the speakers of the evening. Douglass, superintendent of the Howard Automobile company, talked on the chassis and mechanical features of the Buick, and Danforth, district manager, discussed sales problems.

C. F. Draper and Lawrence Kratzer, represented the C. C. Kratzer company of this city and Martinez. During the Buick gold seal plan state that the dealer (licensee) agrees to personally guarantee such used Buicks as are sold by him under the Buick gold seal used car plan.

HUGE INCREASE SEEN IN SALE OF CHEVROLET

A tremendous increase in retail deliveries of new Chevrolet automobiles throughout the country during the first two months of 1927 as compared with the same period of 1926 is shown in the following report compiled by the Chevrolet Motor company and given out by Harry G. Golden, local Chevrolet dealer.

The magnitude of this increase is indicated in reports from thirty-two of the most important trading areas in the United States and shows an average increase of 97.4 per cent in these centers for the first two months of 1927 as compared with 1926.

The increase is striking evidence of the countrywide and constantly mounting demand for the Chevrolet car—a demand which caused the Chevrolet Motor company to reach a new peak of production during February of this year of 85,821 cars—and still further marking the company's preeminence as the world's largest manufacturers of gear shift automobiles.

OAKLAND—Lake Manufacturing company, manufacturers of electrical devices, to establish plant at 18th and Poplar streets.

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SAN DIEGO, April 9.—The four American navy planes carrying Commander Francesco De Pinedo and his crew from Phoenix, Arizona, have arrived here.

Commander De Pinedo's hydroplane was burned on Roosevelt lake when a boy, lighting a cigarette, tossed the lighted match on the gasoline covered waters as the air machine was being re-fueled.

The four navy planes left Phoenix at 11:08 a.m., mountain time.

The plane in which Commander De Pinedo rode was piloted by Lieutenant Commander A. E. Montgomery.

The other American naval planes carried Captain Del Prete and Mechanic Vitale Zaccchetti.

Thousands of people welcomed the Italian as the four planes came to rest.

There was a brief halt at Yuma on the journey from Phoenix when one of the planes developed engine trouble, but it was not a long delay.

Thompson Wins Over Filipino

(By Universal Service)
SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Young Jack Thompson Los Angeles Negro lightweight won by a technical kayo over Arena Flores, of the Philippines after two rounds of fighting here last. The bout was stopped in the second round when it appeared the Filipino was hopelessly outclassed. Billy Evans negro featherweight after being on the verge of a knockout in the first round came back to win a six round decision over Al Crisp of Oakland.

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LIBERIA WANTS OLDSMOBILES SAYS DEALER

Out in Liberia where natives, who have barely heard of motor cars, are toiling in humid heat to transform a jungle into a rubber plantation that the American motoring public may have ample and low priced tires for its cars, the urge for automobile ownership is already being felt, and, naturally, America is being looked to to supply those cars." Robert Miller, local Oldsmobile dealer, stated yesterday.

Already one query has been received from this little republic on the African coast. The inquiry, just received by an Oldsmobile dealer, requests details on the price of an Oldsmobile two door sedan delivered at Cape Palmas, Liberia and resulted from an advertisement published in an Akron Ohio newspaper.

The writer is Adolph N. Ajavon, who is engaged with the Firestone Plantations company in the stupendous task of creating a new source of crude rubber. He had a chance to read one of the Akron newspapers received by the company from its home office in this country, and was attracted by the automobile announcements which enhanced his growing desire to become an automobile owner.

"Incidents similar to this clearly show the trend of the entire world to automobiles and assures a continued growth for the industry," said Miller.

"The greater part of the world today is, automatically speaking, in about the same condition as we were in this country in 1900", according to A. J. Ackers of the Akron Oldsmobile company. "Perhaps economic conditions will not permit of so rapid a development of the automobile business in these other countries, but the demand is gradually increasing and the future export business of American automobile manufacturers will be of great importance to the industry."

DEL MAR—Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company expending \$17,040 to improve long-distance telephone facilities between San Diego Del Mar and Encinitas.

Two Things to Remember

By FRANK A. SCHOLLES



- 1 REMEMBER that Easter time is the time to dress up yourself, your home and your table.
- 2 REMEMBER here are some Easter offerings that show we have a lot of Spring time confidence in our ability to sell at low prices.

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1924—Essex 6 Touring (new tires and paint) \$220.00

1924—Star Touring (new paint) \$148.00

1924—Nash Six Sedan \$695.00

1923—Oldsmobile 4 Touring \$155.00

1922—Buick 6 Touring \$175.00

1922 Chevrolet Touring \$ 40.00

1921 Cole 8 Touring \$160.00

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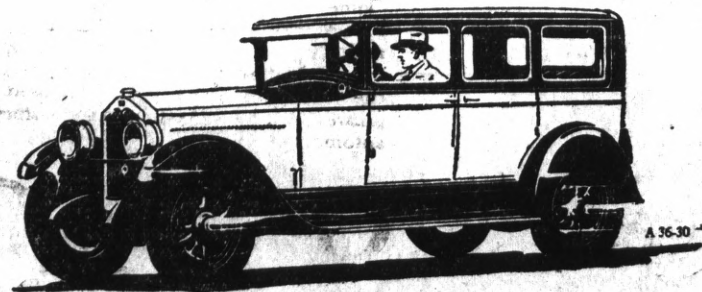
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THE WOMEN'S REBELLION

CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT, the venerable American suffrage leader, prophesies a women's rebellion against arbitrary styles set by the French fashion trust.

"This rebellion," she writes in the Forum, "will come with the force and fury of all movements long overdue. It will be ruthless and thorough. It may precipitate the world into bankruptcy, close factories, turn millions into unemployment. No one has ever asked the price of liberty, and we shall not then."

She is particularly rebellious about the prediction of Paul Poiret, that within 30 years women will be in trousers. Not that she objects especially to trousers. In fact, she maintains that they belong to women by right of original invention and use, and have been stolen by men. But she objects to Poiret or any other man telling woman what they are going to wear.

What then? It is a noble prospect that the rebellious Mrs. Catt opens up:

"Doctors, lawyers, legislators, judges, mothers, housewives, will swell the gathering army. They will plead that the abolition of artificial fashion will bring to the average family economy and calm; to the average woman, a costume comfortable, healthful, becoming and adapted to her work; to all women, an emancipation of brains, conscience, arms, legs and feet; to all the people, a dress of beauty and elegance combined with utility and comfort; to business, a stability heretofore unknown, and to the world at large, the removal of a distracting, artificial and menacing factor."

Three rousing cheers! If Mrs. Catt can accomplish this glorious consummation and at the same time give the Parisian style-setters a black eye, more power to her! Even the American clothing industry can probably endure the temporary upset, for the sake of establishing women's garb ultimately on a standardized basis of beauty and utility. When that great revolution comes, manufacturers will have reason to hope that the permanent models they are making will remain in vogue for at least one whole season.

It won't be long now before the tired business man will have to explain to his wife that he's late for dinner because his plane was delayed by fog off the Greenland coast.—Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

Possibly the reason why more Americans do not see America first is the billboard men will not let them.—Dayton News.

Men Who Made the World



RICHARD WAS CURIOUS TO MEET ROBIN HOOD AND A PLAN WAS PROPOSED THAT, DRESSED AS FRIARS, THEY GO TO SHERWOOD FOREST AND SEEK ROBIN HOOD. THE KING ROARED WITH LAUGHTER AT THIS SUGGESTION AND IMMEDIATELY FELL IN WITH THE PLAN. NEXT MORNING WITH COMPANIONS, DRESSED AS BLACK FRIARS, THEY TRAVELED ON HORSEBACK TILL THEY CAME TO SHERWOOD FOREST, AND VANISHED WITHIN ITS SHADY DEPTHS. THE KING GREW THIRSTY AND SAID AS MUCH TO HIS COMPANIONS. NO SOONER HAD HE SPOKEN THAN THE BUSHES AT THE SIDE PARTED, AND THERE STOOD A TALL, STOUT FELLOW WITH A PAIR OF MERRY, BLUE EYES. HE SPOKE SAYING: "HOLY BROTHER, WE KEEP AN INN HEREABOUTS AND FOR FIFTY POUNDS WE WILL GIVE YOU GOOD WINE AND A NOBLE FEAST." THE DISGUISED KING ANSWERED: "WHO ARE YOU? HAVE YOU NO REGARD FOR SUCH HOLY MEN AS WE?" ROBIN ANSWERED SMARTLY: THE FRIARS THEN ACCEPTED HIS OFFER.

Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper. Name your city on your return envelope. Don't say "city."

ANXIETY AND IMMUNITY

When we set out "On the Trail of Immunity" the other day we drew four scientific conclusions which you will find pasted in your hat, as follows and to wit:

1. Exposure to cold and wet has no demonstrable influence upon an individual's immunity to respiratory infections.

2. The ultraviolet rays of sunlight seem to aid the development of immunity, especially immunity against infections of the upper respiratory tract.

3. A liberal supply of vitamin D (as in cod liver oil, the liver oils of fish generally and the body fat of marine animals such as the whale, seal and walrus which feed on fish or smaller marine animals) seems essential for the development of the optimum immunity against respiratory infections.

4. There is little or no scientific evidence that the degree of immunity an individual has acquired can be seriously lowered by any temporary fault of hygiene or unhealthful environment, although unfavorable factors do prevent or delay the development of immunity.

These are strictly scientific conclusions, which I believe no one can successfully confute. And now I want to base some good sound health advice on these good sound scientific facts. Unless you are prepared to overturn or disprove these deductions, you must admit that the information, suggestions and advice I base upon them are safe and true.

Today we'll confine our quarrel to conclusion No. 1—Exposure to cold and wet has no demonstrable influence on immunity. Many investigators have attempted to demonstrate by animal experiments and a few by experimenting upon themselves, that exposure to cold and wet really does "lower resistance," but without success. (I am not unmindful of the studies of Miller and Noble, of Mudd and Grant, and other research workers.)

Circumstantial evidence (coincidence) and not empirical evidence (experience) supports the notion that there is harm in exposure to cold or wet. Scientific evidence as well as common experience—the fact that as a rule no indisposition or illness follows exposure to cold or wet—must convince a reasonable mind of the harmlessness of such exposure. One may find the cold or the wet uncomfortable, but one need feel no anxiety about it so far as health is concerned.

I read the other day about a dog which chased a rabbit or other prey into a cave and got trapped by a fall of rock behind him. The dog was trapped for a week or so, finally rescued, and given every care by veterinary physicians, but died of pneumonia notwithstanding. This was a mere newspaper version. Maybe the newspaper man divined the pneumonia. But assuming it is correct, the question arises, what caused the pneumonia, if not exposure to the cave, if not exposure to the cave suffered in the cave? And I am ready with the answer, which is just as valid as the question. The dog, enfeebled by starvation and lack of water, developed hypostatic congestion of the lungs, a mechanical effect of failure of the circulation, and in no wise due to exposure or cold. This is the "pneumonia" which

many feeble invalids develop as a terminal affection.

It is well known that deprivation, whether of food, clothing, water, shelter or other comfort, is more injurious than voluntary fasting, nakedness or other abstinence. Probably the difference is due to anxiety, worry, fear, and this factor must be taken into consideration in every case of "exposure." This influence is really "it" he can get food when he wants it and the ship wrecked sailor or miner trapped by a cave in who has no assurance of relief.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Nothing Morbid

This being a health service, not a symptom exchange nor a sick dispensary, I have no leaflets, folders, pamphlets, booklets, topics, writings, literature, descriptive matter; treatments, cures, prescriptions, theories, essays, particulars, copies, treatises, articles, circulars, tracts, sheets, accounts, statements, nor suggestion of any kind about sickness or disease to distribute. Requests for such service will be ignored, though I am always glad to give such instruction or advice as I may deem applicable when a correspondent submits his personal health problem. This is not only a health service, it is a personal health service.

Cold Cream

Please reprint your formula for a good cold cream. M.E. Answer—The best cold cream, in my judgment, is that made freshly, on order, by your neighborhood pharmacist, after the formula for ointment of rose water (Ung. Aquae Rosae) in the Pharmacopoeia.

The Old House

We are considering the purchase of a home, the last occupant of which died recently from tuberculosis. We have young children and we would not take the place as a gift if there is any risk involved. What form of fumigation, if any, will make the house safe for us to move into? Mrs. S.P.A. is sufficient. Renovate any walls that there is no reason to imagine which may be grossly soiled. There is no reason to imagine that children or adults ever contract tuberculosis from living where a tuberculosis patient has lived before. To contract tuberculosis it is necessary to live in intimate association with the patient over a period of time.

Bathing Is Safe

Kindly advise whether or not bathing during periods is harmful. Many say that consumption may result. Mrs. D.E. Answer—I assure you that there is never a time when a woman may not safely bathe or swim if she desires to.

Polyps

Can you tell me whether polyps can be removed permanently? I had them removed six times but they are always growing back in. R.A. Answer—As a rule polyps are due to an underlying condition, such as sinus infection, and unless the underlying condition is remedied the polyp is likely to recur after removal. (Copyright, John F. Dille Co.)

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD.

KING RICHARD I.

By Dr. Elliot Shoring, The Noted Historian



ROBIN HOOD LED THE WAY FOR THE SEVEN FRIARS TO THE GREAT ELM TREE IN SHERWOOD FOREST. THERE THE KING AND HIS COMPANIONS BEHELD, WITH WONDER, ROBIN HOOD AND HIS MERRY BAND AT HOME IN THE HEART OF THE WOODLAND GLADE. THE KING WAS SURPRISED AT THE FINE, UPSTANDING MEN COMPOSING ROBIN HOOD'S BAND, AND SAID TO HIM, "YOU HAVE A FINE LOT OF YOUNG MEN ABOUT YOU, ROBIN. EVEN KING RICHARD HIMSELF WOULD BE GLAD OF SUCH A BODYGUARD." AND ROBIN ANSWERED TO THE FRIAR, "YES, AND KING RICHARD IS A REAL MAN, TOO. THERE IS NOT ONE OF US BUT WOULD FIGHT OUR BLOOD LIKE WATER FOR HIM. YOU CHURCHMEN DO NOT UNDERSTAND OUR KING, BUT WE TENDEN LOVE HIM FOR HIS BRAVE DOINGS, SO GREATLY LIKE OUR OWN." BENEATH HIS COWL, RICHARD SMILED AT THESE WORDS, BOLDLY SPOKE.

YOUR BOY AND YOUR GIRL

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.
The Parent Counsellor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamp, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

TEST YOUR CHILD

A tired business man remarked to his wife:

"If our two boys don't stop disturbing my day of rest by teasing me to see their Sunday school, I'll have to give up next Sunday's golf and go. When I was a boy no child ever thought of dragging his parents to Sunday school."

Well, the T.B.M. went. He got a surprise. Things aren't done now the way they were when T.B.M. was a boy. In this particular case Henry Park Schaffer's habit-craft adventures were the attraction for the boys.

What do you suppose this tired business man saw? Queer sort of thing—a combination of a mail training shop, a debating society and a Sunday classroom. The Sunday he arrived he saw the habit-trustworthiness being taught.

The boys were making a paper arch of nine stones—confident, the key stone being "it." The arch wouldn't stand up until the "it" stone was in position. Placing this "it" gets the children to a habit of thinking, "If I do my part, he'll do his." The Bible stories for the day were centered around Judges 7, Matt. 25:14-23, and Luke 16:10-12.

During the lesson moral life tests were given—simple, practical, every day sort of problems which come up in the life of every child. Nothing theoretical, nor abstract, or way off in the distance sort of business. Here's one adapted from Schaffer's idea which interests me. "Plugged Nickels and Panes of Glass," I have called it. As a thinking parent it will interest you. Try it on any child under the age of 15. You will be very much surprised at the answers which you get—and so perhaps will I—when you clip out the article and have the child draw a circle around the number which he thinks describes the right answer. Send the clipping to me, care of this newspaper. I will reply if you enclose a stamped addressed envelope.

Questionnaire

(a)—A bad nickel was given to Robert by the street car conductor. Robert did not notice this until he had left the car. What should he do?
1 Robert should keep the nickel and make the best of it.
2 He should try to make the conductor take it back.
3 He should get rid of it at the expense of anyone who is careless enough to accept it in trade from him.
4 He should drop it in as car fare next time he has occasion to ride as it was the car company's fault that he got cheated in the first place.

(b)—Fred accidentally broke a window pane playing ball and nobody saw him do it. What should he do?
1 Run away and keep out of trouble.
2 Ask his father for money to pay for a new window pane.
3 Earn the money and pay for it himself.
4 Tell the owner it was an accident and that he will be careful never to do it again.

Now parents, for goodness' sake, don't shove this clipping in front of your child—look daggers at him, hand him a pencil and say: "Sit down and do it. I want to see what sort of a character you've got." This is no way to go about it. Have a little family discussion, let mother and father in it, have a little argument, because there is a good deal behind these questions. By the way—What can we do with a lead

OUR CONVERSATION CORNER

An Autographed Copy

If I send you a scrap book filled with clippings from "Your Boy and Your Girl," arranged by subjects which you have discussed in your column, will you autograph it and send me a picture of yourself?

President P.T.A.

Answer—Cross my heart, I surely will. I am very glad you acted upon the suggestion I made to parents some time ago that they clip these articles and questions and answers and paste them in a scrap book. At the end of a year parents would possess a book of 240,000 words, covering about every problem concerning little folks from cradle days to college.

Pick-Ups

The only way I can get a beau is to pick one up on the street. Is it wrong? Girl of Sixteen.

Answer—Good fruit dealers do not put fruit out on the sidewalks to get the street germs. Good girls do not "pick up" those human germs who stand on street corners. It never was and never will be fashionable to pick out a fellow who can only find a girl by advertising himself on a corner. Look well by dressing tastefully, keep your hair looking well, have a clean complexion, read the newspapers for interesting things to talk about, go to night school and you will not be obliged to flap.

The Marriage Game

As Played to a Decision

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THE MENU

Her play—it's bad, dear, a sympathetic nature doesn't provide brand new flesh, fish and fowl for you. Then, perhaps, you'd not grumble at the dinner three nights out of the week. What do you expect me to produce, potted venison and larded tenderloin of antelope? Do you expect me to have roast pheasant and broiled beef steak? Where do you imagine I am to find fresh guavas for the salad and pomegranates for dessert? Don't expect the family menu to be romantic. Roast pork is roast.

porch; tapices padding can be nothing else, and I'm sure I— the best I can.

His counter-play—You don't understand what I mean when I wonder why we cannot have a change. I'm not asking for larded antelope steaks nor guava salad. But I do say that you ought to make up dishes that look different and taste different, even if your choice is confined to the regular articles of dinner fare. If only pork could be presented in some other way than a loin roast; or if you could disguise the beef in a sauce or casserole, or if you—oh, well, pass the parsnips!

The referee—He rattled against a women's customary weakness; but, on reflection, it is his day.

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After District Attorney Banton in New York had declined to recommend indictment of Mrs. Everett Pratt, wealthy Des Moines la. resident, on the story of foster child, Roberta (above). Magistrate Flood issued summons for appearance of Mrs. Pratt. Child claimed Mrs. Pratt beat, burned and starved her.



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

THOUSANDS SLAIN IN CHINESE BATTLE

TOTAL COST IS ESTIMATED AT OVER \$200,000

Local Officials Stress Need Of Institution To Handle All Cases

That Richmond may look forward to the construction and equipment of a new general hospital, providing for every type of hospital case in line with the plans outlined by the hospital committee of the Richmond chamber of commerce, headed by Chas. S. Renwick, is indicated from the interest the physicians and surgeons, the present hospital management, are taking. Plans have been presented by E. W. Cannon, Oakland architect, who designed the Berkeley general hospital, the Baby hospital in Oakland, now under construction, and several other hospitals now building in the Hawaiian Islands. A special meeting of Richmond doctors and surgeons, and the hospital committee was recently arranged by Chairman Renwick and was held in the chamber of commerce rooms. It was a combined meeting of the hospital committee and those directly interested in a hospital as well as a number of prominent local citizens, including E. M. Tilden and P. M. Sanford, president of the chamber of commerce. Those present were told of a quiet canvas which has been made among the profession in Richmond by L. F. Bollinger, who has been identified with a number of recent hospital constructions in the bay district and who is identified with Architect Gannon. (Continued on Page 10)

Murderers Of Paymaster Are Sent To The Electric Chair

(By Universal Service)
DORHAM, Mass., April 9.—Nicholas Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti were sentenced to death today by Justice Webster Thayer for the murders of Paymaster L. Bremer and Alessandro Berardelli at South Braintree in 1921. The final legal chapter in the lives of the two men whose case has drawn the attention of the world to this little town occupied but a matter of seconds.

The exit of Sacco from the county jail in his few steps to the courthouse was without incident. However, the departure of Vanzetti from the state prison was highly dramatic.

All the prisoners were awake at 6 this morning when the guard came to usher Vanzetti from his cell.

Quite apart from any radical sympathies, the convicts were quick (Continued on Page 10)

North Richmond Man Wounded In Shooting Scrape

Eagerness to participate extensively in a colored "crap" game last night, resulted in Joe Renaldi receiving a bullet in his right shoulder joint. Renaldi is said to have been in an intoxicated condition when he went to where the prancing cubes flitted lightly in enormous palms. He was heartily "kicked out" several times by a colored man, who bore the name of Johnson.

When Renaldi appeared for the third time Johnson is said to have drawn a revolver and shot at the intruder six times. One shot took effect. Renaldi was removed to the Abbott Emergency hospital in a Wilson & Kratzer ambulance and given first aid by Dr. L. St. John Healy and later taken to the Cottage hospital.

Deputy Sheriff J. W. Smiley and Constable M. Mottola of San Pablo instituted a search for Johnson who mysteriously disappeared after the shooting scrape.

The only available witness to the trouble was Manuel Carballo, butcher of North Richmond.

Renaldi is employed as a janitor at the giant plant of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing company.

Stockholders In Textile Firm To Get Huge Sum

(By Universal Service)
SHELBY, N. C., April 9.—Directors of the Wiscasset textile mills, of Albemarle, were today ordered to distribute nearly \$1,500,000 among stockholders. Superior Court Judge James L. Webb, notice of an appeal to the North Carolina Supreme Court was filed by directors of the company. The court order grew out of a disagreement concerning the disposition of the surplus fund amounting, it is said, to nearly \$2,000,000.

Human Arsenal Is Arrested In Chicago

(By Universal Service)
CHICAGO, April 9.—In the arrest today of Louis Weisbrod, authorities believe they have uncovered the pivotal source of the underworld's armament.

Weisbrod, associated with the police equipment company is believed to have furnished machine guns, bullet proof vests, sawed off shot guns, tear bombs and the like to the members of the bootlegging gangsters of the city.

The information was declared to be well founded, by Capt. John Stege, deputy chief of detectives.

SAN FRANCISCO—French-American bank merged into United Bank & Trust company.

Americans Stampede To Reach Protection Of U. S. Battleships

NATIONALISTS ENCOUNTER STIFF OP- POSITION FROM ATTACKING ARMIES OF THE NORTH

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, April 9.—The Sunday Times in a dispatch from Shanghai reports that Sun Chuang-fang's forces have recaptured Yangchow with demoralizing effect on the Nationalists.

The Observer in a Shanghai message reports that the Northern forces are using poison gas in addition to bombing planes.

The Cantonese emissaries are reported to have arrived at Shanghai to seek protective apparatus.

SHANGHAI, April 9.—Northern troops are directing an attack of great intensity against the Nationalist forces it is indicated today.

General Chiang Kai Shek, now at Kanking, is planning a strategic movement and will endeavor to cross the Yangtze Kiang and take active command of the Nationalist troops, now battling with the forces under General Chang Tsung Chang.

In the interim, the status of the Nationalist ranks at Shanghai occupies the attention of the foreign officials.

Before departing from Shanghai, Chiang Kai Shek ordered that the provisional National government be left in a suspended state, until the matter can be decided at the conferences which will be held at Nanking next week, and at which the administration of the Nationalist party will be discussed.

LOCAL FIREMEN FINISH PLANS FOR BIG BALL

Final plans for the Richmond fire department benefit fund ball at East Shore park April 23, have been made, according to Assistant Chief J. J. Barry, chairman of the committee for the affair. Mrs. Matthe Chandler, mayor of Richmond, will lead the grand march, which promises to be one of the most spectacular ever staged by the local fire fighters. Her escort has not yet been selected.

Committees in charge of the ball are:

General—S. G. Davidson.
Reception—Chief W. P. Cooper, R. A. Wells, L. Willett, A. Hook, and T. A. Costello.

Publicity—Assistant Chief J. J. Barry, J. R. Patterson.

Door, tickets, advertising—R. P. Myers, H. J. Schmidt, O. N. Smith, R. F. Paasch, W. C. Kitley, W. C. Kates, I. S. Conrad and J. F. Lathrop.

Floor, music—Charles Morissette, Jr., J. D. Addison, A. M. Buys, H. J. Adolf, W. V. Remell, A. J. Merriam.

Decorations—H. E. Clark, Hale Phillips, R. Millicovich, G. J. Schumacher, J. James Towers, Jr., Concessions—T. J. Hathaway, L. E. Lavenie, R. A. Paasch, George Evans, Steve Huzefka, P. Martin.

War Waged On Short Weight Merchants

A rigid campaign is being waged against short weight merchants in Contra Costa county. George W. Andrews, county sealer of weights and measures, and Hutt Brown, local deputy, are inspecting scales and measures throughout the county and warning offenders to bring their machines up to standard.

F. H. Danby has purchased the flat building of Henry Kallman, Richmond jeweler, it was announced yesterday. The property is located on Fourteenth street and contains two modern flats. Mrs. P. E. Egan handled the deal.

Cal Again Stands For a Glee Club

(By Universal Service)
WASHINGTON, April 9.—President Coolidge, surrounded by the Dartmouth College club, stood patiently in an off and on snow storm today while the cameraman adjusted their cameras for the photo.

Large drops of water pattered upon the President's bare head from an awning on the front of his executive offices.

Prepare for Chicago Election

This is the way they make preparation for a Chicago mayoralty election. Riots and disorders at last election taught authorities a lesson. Detective Chief Shoemaker (second from right) and others putting machine guns in shape.



'Queen Of The Booze Runners Is Now Woman Of No Country

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, April 9.—Gloria de Casares, the beautiful young woman who protests that she is reputed, wrongly, to be the "queen of the bootleggers," was deported to New York today from Liverpool.

In a tearful moment, before her departure, she lamented upon the possibility that the New York immigration officers might not allow her to land. Then, with a smile of gratification, she announced that all her baggage had been put aboard, thanks to the generosity of a Liverpool man who is also travelling aboard the Caronia, and who released the lady's baggage from the grip of one of the deportees' creditors.

Gloria is now a woman without a country. She broke into the news as the alleged part owner of the rumship (Continued on Page 9)

Cornerstone Of High School To Be Laid Here

Impressive ceremonies will mark the laying of the cornerstone of the new Richmond Union high school, built at a cost of \$600,000. W. T. Helms, superintendent of city schools, announced yesterday. The event is set for about the first of May. Grand Master George L. Jones, of Grass Valley, will officiate. The stone is now being prepared and the legend "Richmond Union High School, A. D. 1927," will be placed on the outside.

The dedication will come just 20 years after the cornerstone laying of the present building. Grand Master George M. Perrine, of the California Masonic lodge, assisted by grand officers, officiated at ceremonies in 1907.

Schools Close For Easter Vacation

With the closing of all schools in Richmond Friday, faculty and student bodies are preparing to enjoy the Easter vacation of one week. Schools will reopen April 18, Easter Monday.

Principal B. X. Tucker, of Richmond Union high school, and Principal Frank Shallenberger, of the Roosevelt Junior high school, will attend the annual convention of state high school principals during the vacation.

ENTERTAINS SON

Mrs. I. Russell, 418 Twelfth street, is entertaining as a house guest her son, Frank Mackey, of Sacramento.

SCHEDULE FOR SEASON OF S. O. LEAGUE GIVEN

Billy Lane, Former Seattle Indian To Be On Lineup

Refinery versus Mechanics, and Barrel House versus All Standards.

Those will be the games slated for the opening week's play in the Standard Oil Twilight league, commencing May 4, according to the season schedule released yesterday morning by league officials.

The Refinery tossers will meet the Mechanics in the opening contest on Wednesday afternoon, May 4, with the Barrel House-All Standard game scheduled for the following day.

League officials are making detailed preparations for ceremonies to start the 1927 race for the Hanna perpetual trophy, won last year by the Mechanics.

Although many familiar faces will be missing from the ranks of the four clubs that make up the league, several new players will be out on the field when the opening gong rings. Chief of these will be (Continued on Page 14)

SCHOLES HOLD REUNION

Frank Scholes, sr., his son Frank, Jr., Richmond city councilman, and his daughter, Mrs. Oral Pearce, are enjoying a week-end reunion of the family at Pacific Grove, the home of another son, Elmer E. Scholes. Mrs. L. O. Jones of San Diego, accompanied the local trio on the trip.



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McFADDEN'S FLATS' TO OPEN AT CALIFORNIA

"McFadden's Flats," which opens as the feature attraction at the California theatre next Monday is one heck, hilarious laugh. The famous old stage comedy has been given a brand new dress, new laughs and new lease on life that should give screen audiences a new conception of what can be done in the way of film fun.

Edward Small, of the producing firm of Asher, Small & Rogers, who made this latest First National hit, has turned out something unique in the form of a feature comedy. If his desire was to keep audiences roaring from the opening scene to the final fadeout he has succeeded.

Charlie Murray, as the hodgepodge Irishman, is irresistible, and teamed up with Chester Conklin as a Scotch barber, Charlie proves one of the greatest comics of the screen.

Of course, pretty faces—and figures as well—have not been overlooked in the making of this picture. Edna Murphy, in the leading feminine role, is one of the most convincing reasons why gentlemen prefer blondes. Then, when Dorothy Dwan comes along—photographing as a decided brunette—one becomes convinced that he might prefer her without losing the slightest evidence of his gentility.

Other members of the cast who should be given special credit for their characterizations are Larry Kent, Aggie Herring, DeWitt Jennings, Freeman Wood, Cissy Fitzgerald, Dot Farley and Leo White.

Richard Wallace, who directed the picture, again has proven himself a master of "gags."

"McFadden's Flats" tells the story of the struggles of an Irishman who, coming to America, has ambitions to get out of the ranks of hodgepodge and become a builder—a builder of a flat building that might bear his name, in fact. He meets a tight-fisted Scotchman—portrayed by Chester Conklin—who becomes his fast friend in spite of their differences in taste.

That the son and daughter of the two warring friends should fall in love with one another, permitting the unfolding of an entrancing story of young love, was a complication that neither had expected.

It is from this material that one of the most successful of stage comedies was made. And it is in the dressing up of this story in its present form that picture audiences are being given one of the genuine treats of the year.

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Before Leaving For China

Chester Conklin, Edna Murphy and Charlie Murray in a scene from "McFADDEN'S FLATS", which comes to the screen of the California Theatre for two days starting tomorrow.



LIVELY BILL IS AT CALIFORNIA

Comedy is the predominating feature on the five-act bill to be seen at the California theatre today with several big time offerings taking pride of place for headline honors.

Redmond and Wells in "The Gyp," is a snappy presentation of comedy. In a clever manner Miss Wells as the fortune teller and Mr. Redmond as the speller and man about town, circus supply plenty of laughs with their topical chatter and wise cracks. Both are excellent performers and there is not a dull moment while they occupy the stage.

Another great comedy offering is that of Kennedy and Rooney in "The Widowed Pair." These burlesque comedy artists indulge in some clever piano stunts, some comedy song hits and a line of talk witty and laughable. Patrons will like their fooling.

The Franklin Brothers, novelty artists, offer a series of faring stunts on the ladder while balanced on the feet. The ladder artist goes through a routine of upside down tricks that are both daring and entertaining. This is a neat gymnastic offering.

The Covey sisters, two dainty misses, with a song and dance presentation, and the talented Kathryn Farrar, "Cowgirl Violinist," supply acts that never fail to please their auditors.

Radio News

KFO—428 Meters

Hale Bros.-Chronicle, S. F.

9:45 a.m.—Undenominational and non-sectarian services, by Rev. T. Davis Acheson. Theme "Into the Kingdom by Way of the Cross." Music by Mrs. Fred Walters, contralto.

10:45 a.m.—We Towne Cryer.

2:45 p.m.—Play-by-play broadcast of baseball.

6:00 p.m.—States Restaurant orchestra.

6:30 p.m.—Ye Towne Cryer.

6:35 p.m.—Concert.

8:35 p.m.—Fairmont hotel concert orchestra.

10:00 p.m.—John Wolohan and his Californians at the Trianon ballroom.

KGO—361 Meters

General Electric, Oakland

11:00 a.m.—First Baptist church service.

6:30 p.m.—Concert.

7:30 p.m.—Weather bureau report.

7:35 p.m.—First Baptist church.

9:00 p.m.—Concert.

KFWI—250 Meters

San Francisco

7:50 p.m.—Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist.

KFWM—316 Meters

Oakland

9:00 a.m.—Children's radio service.

10:00 a.m.—Radio service.

1:00 p.m.—Radio service.

7:30 p.m.—Service.

8:00 p.m.—Bible students' lecture.

KFRC—268 Meters

Don Lee, S. F.

5:00 p.m.—Twilight recital.

6:30 p.m.—Concert orchestra.

KZM—240 Meters

Oakland

8:00 p.m.—Concert.

KFUS—256 Meters

Oakland

9 a. m.—Sunday school lesson.

11 a. m.—Church services.

7:45 to 9 p. m.—Church services. Monday fair, gentle variable winds.

WEATHER

Richmond and Bay region—Fair with rising temperature Sunday;

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BROWN DERBY NOW SHOWING AT RICHMOND

Auto race enthusiasts will have the opportunity of watching Johnny Hines speed to victory in one of the fastest racing automobiles in the country when they see his new First National picture, "The Brown Derby," at the Richmond theatre today. It was while Johnny was filming scenes at Miami that Pete de laebe and Harry Harts won the speed race on the track down there, and Johnny Hines not only filmed scenes from the actual race for his picture, but he borrowed the car of Harry Harts for his own use, which he speeds to victory in one of the sequences from the picture. Johnny Hines is a race fan, and he renewed his acquaintance with these dare-devils recently during the automobile races in Indianapolis.

Other film features on the same program include "Pleasure Bound," a roaring comedy; and "Kino-grams" world news events.

Coming Monday and Tuesday, "Midnight Lovers," starring Lew Stone and Anna Q. Nilsson.

ROMANCE AND FAST ACTION AT CALIFORNIA

I prayed—and God gave me twenty cents.

That's the way Herbert Brenon's latest Paramount production ends. Dixie Willson's story, "God Gave Me Twenty Cents," is a tale of two men—one good, the other bad; of two women—one a mere child, the other, hard; and of two times—both false. It tells how the two women—one innocent and naive; the other, rough and hard; came to love the same man. And how, with the aid of two thin dimes, the latter almost succeeded in wrecking her rival's happiness.

Fraught with romance, color, action, drama and suspense, this depiction of the New Orleans waterfront during a Mardi Gras carnival is expected to prove one of the year's most unusual pictures. "God Gave Me Twenty Cents" arrives at the California theatre today. Lois Moran, Lya de Putti, Jack Mulhall and William Collier, Jr., are featured.

Other features on the same program include "Balloon Tired," a life cartoon; "Kino-grams" world news events; and five acts of West Coast theatre vaudeville.

Times Move Around; Men Now Part Downy Locks In Center

(By Universal Service) NEW YORK, April 9.—Waves govern the styles in women's hair-dressing but fashions for men move in cycles. All of which may account for the fact that it is again fashionable to part the hair in the middle. New York barber shops are reporting that men are demanding the type of hair cut that will part them to place the part dead center. The hair on both sides of the part is then "brown back,"

barbers say that it is approximately 20 years since men parted their hair in the middle, possibly a bit longer. One reason the old style has been revived is that the women are parting their hair on the side, especially those who have been featuring the so-called boyish bob. The restoration of the old style of hair arrangement among the men is something of a protest against imitative fads that prevail among the women, the barbers assert. Another condition that has tended to restore the part in the middle of the crown is the custom some of the younger men adopt of throwing the hair straight back from the forehead and plastering it down with grease. This sort of arrangement has never been approved by fastidious men. It is not considered sanitary or attractive and the fact that many dance hall sheiks are partial to this sort of thing has not tended to increase its popularity outside of such circles.

The new style of hair dressing approved by the men who still have some hair to part, differs quite radically from the manner favored by the dandies of a quarter century back. In the days of buggy rides, decorous dances and holiday picnics the Don Juans wore their hair plastered down on their heads. In those days "chocker" collars, peg top trousers and terribly padded shoulders were considered quite the correct attributes of personal beautification. The new style of part requires cultivating a growth well down on the forehead and chaps who are beginning to count hairs thereabouts and to brag cautiously of their intellectual browns, are completely out of the running. After the necessary arrangements have been made with the barber regarding the new style of hair trim the side growth is brushed straight back.

Barbers offer up very coherent explanation of the new trend except that styles in hair cutting are constantly being changed in order to stimulate business. Left to themselves the men who patronize barber shops would give little or no thought to the manner in which the barbers groom their heads. It has become the custom in the large shops in New York however, for the barbers to purr all sorts of insinuations into a customer's ear while applying the shears. Eventually new styles are accepted. And that seems to be the reason the center part is back in favor again. Various reasons are offered but the real explanation is that a great many first class suggestive salesmen were spotted to make journey-men barbers.

MRS. DAN COX RETURNS HOME

After undergoing a major operation in a San Francisco hospital, Mrs. Dan Cox, wife of the Richmond chief of police, returned to her home yesterday. She is reported to be rapidly recuperating from her recent illness.

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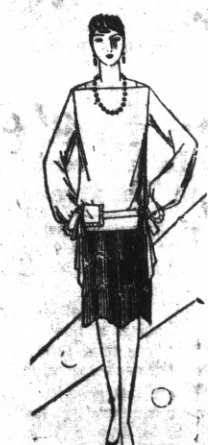
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LOCAL SOCIETY EVENTS

Acantha Chapter Holds Star Point Night

Star Point night was observed by Acantha chapter, Order of Eastern Star, when they entertained with a musical program and a banquet. Star points participated were: Ada, Eulabelle, Martinsen; Ruth, Rita Watson; Ethel, Angelica Dabovich; Martha, Grace Thompson; Electa, Laura Kelly. Mrs. Carrie Hollenblugh, worthy matron and Edward T. Kelly, worthy patron, presided.

The musical program included vocal duets by Mrs. Ross Calfee and F. L. Marshall, piano solos by Archie McVickers.

MRS. MARY WILSON TO ENTERTAIN W. S. I.

Mrs. Mary Wilson will be hostess to the Women's West Side Improvement club at a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home at Richmond and Washington avenues. The business of the day will include appointment of delegates for the district and state conventions.

RICHMOND OFFICIALS VISIT MARTINEZ

Mrs. Viola Stotemyer, district deputy president, and Mrs. Amy Pearson, deputy marshal, both of Richmond, last night paid an official visit to Alhambra lodge of Rebekahs at Martinez.

FEDERATED WOMEN TO MAKE TOUR

Several Federated club women of Richmond are planning to make a tour of inspection through the new Highland county hospital in Alameda. The tour will be made on April 14, with Dr. R. B. Morris, assistant public health doctor of Alameda county, in charge.

SAUBANK—New fire station to be erected in this city.

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Church Brotherhood Elects Officers In New Organization

At a special meeting for men of the Community Methodist church last evening the Community Methodist Brotherhood was organized with the following officers: President, Jack Stinnett; vice president, Ralph Otley; secretary, treasurer, B. F. Betterton. The dinner served by the members of the church was presided over by the pastor, Rev. Milton H. Greenlee.

Judge J. E. Pemberton of Berkeley who is the district lay leader for the San Francisco district of the Southern Methodist church, presided at the organization of the Brotherhood. Rev. John Melbert, pastor of the Epworth university church of Berkeley, who has had wide experience in Wesleyan Brotherhood work gave an inspirational address on the possibilities for such an organization in the local congregation.

This Brotherhood will be a chapter of the great world-wide Wesleyan Brotherhood of the Southern Methodist church and will operate under a charter from this organization. The men present last night who were members of the Community Methodist church were received as charter members. Membership is open to any man in the community not connected with any other church in Richmond subject to nomination by the membership committee and vote of the Brotherhood.

The regular monthly dinner meetings will be held the second Friday evening of each month. The next meeting falling on Friday, May 13, was designated as "Black Cat" night and also ladies' night.

This meeting promises to be a lively and a "spooky" affair. Men of the community interested in membership will apply to the above officers or the pastor, or present themselves at the next regular meeting in May.

WOODCRAFT THIMBLE CLUB TO HOLD MEETING
The Thimble club of the Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet on April 13 at Odd Fellows hall, with Louise Rogers and Beatrice Sweet in charge of entertainment for the evening.

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'Redhot' Plays Face Crisis In Gray Shadow of The Holy Week

(By Universal Service)

NEW YORK, April 9.—In the shadow of Holy Week, six plays fled from Broadway Saturday night and two or three others are undecided whether to continue Monday night. For this is the Nadir of the theatrical season, when attendance drops to its lowest level and a sadness that is not religious—although it has its origin in religion—sweeps through Broadway and its tributary thoroughfares.

Three of the fugitive plays are musical comedies—the famous Fred Stone's own show, "Crisis Cross," which is headed for Boston after six months of less than usual success; "Twinkle, Twinkle," with Joe Brown and Ona Munson, that lasted four months, and "Judy," in which Queenie Smith starred for seven weeks. "An American Tragedy," after five months, and "Honey-mooning," the sad Hatcher, Hughes farce, after three weeks disappeared into exterior darkness.

Earlier in the week, there passed out the Mann-Ligman comedy, "The French Kiss," the Guild drama, "Brothers Karamazov," "Lally," "Earth," "Loudspeaker," and "Menace." Truly the mortality ran high.

Yet at least four new plays will open during Holy Week, defiant of or indifferent to the hazard. The theatre guild, supported by 21,000 subscribers, will offer, "The Second Man," by S. N. Behrman, with Lunt and Fontanne and Margalo Gillmore. "It's a Wow" by Bert Norton will come to the Chanin Masque. The Little Grove street theatre will get "Rutherford and Son" for revival. "Joan of Arc," a drama from Mark Twain's daughter, Clara, will be shown at the Totten theatre, and one or two other late entrants are anticipated.

For hits, despite the slump, you may count "Rio Rita," "Scandals," "The Road to Rome," "Her Cardboard Lover," "Lucky," "The Spider," "The Play's the Thing," "The Silver Cord," "On Kay," "Broadway," Jeanie Eagels click-clicked immediately in "Her Cardboard Lover" although Leslie Howard, in the title role almost stole the show from the star, Pauline Lord and "Mariners" proved a disappointment. The drama is drab and tragic and Miss Lord plays actually fewer than forty-five minutes. On this, the critics were virtually unanimous in condemnation of the play while commending the star.

"Spread Eagle," a Mexican melodrama with a big cast, presented by Joe Harris, the man who owns "Broadway" split the jury. Time—say a fortnight—will give the decision on this. "Hearts Are Trumps" is a French comedy. "Rapid Transit" is expressionistic and arty. "Barking Dogs," "Fiesta" and "Big Lake" all new this past week, are simply the small change of the stage, offered in little theatres to limited audiences. If the spring season carried any surprises than "The Spider" and a mystery melodrama, "Le Marie Affaire," rebuilt after its road showing with Charlotte Greenwood instead of Sophie Tucker, must be given the credit. Oddly enough, both productions exude an aroma of the vaudeville stage.

have not formed any opinion on it.

Friends of the two condemned men may take heart at this statement. But those who believe the men guilty and rightfully sentenced to the chair, may see in these words promise that the extreme penalty will be carried out. What the announcement of the governor may portend is that the men may not go to the chair for some time to come, as his words apparently mean that he intends to go into the case thoroughly before he makes the final decision.

A heavy guard will protect the state house while the building is closed over the weekend. This action being due to the fear of possible demonstrations by Sacco-Vanzetti sympathizers.

Judge Webster Thayer set the date for the execution of Sacco and Vanzetti for the week beginning July 10. Warden Hendry of the state prison decides himself on what day during the week the double execution will take place. After pronouncing sentence, Judge Webster Thayer retired to his chambers, telephoned his wife in Worcester and put away his judicial garb. There the district attorney, sheriff, court stenographer and three or four friends gathered to offer congratulations and sympathy. He paced nervously back and forth and talked rapidly like a man suddenly relieved from a heavy burden. His even-tempered, serene and solemn judicial manner was gone. He was alive, informal, in fact almost jovial.

"I could have prolonged their lives for years," said Judge Thayer, "but why should I? Already I have shortened my life several years. There is not one line of evidence that I have not studied."

When the court stenographer left his chambers, Judge Thayer said in parting, after holding a confidential conversation with her and the district attorney: "I'm ready to meet my maker this minute."

The judge refused to be quoted in answer to the general accusations made against him by Sacco and the particular ones cited by Vanzetti.

He spoke freely but not for publication. He is a very tired, old man, suddenly feeling young for a minute, full of the joy in his belief that it is all over but the electrocution.

At first Judge Thayer refused to be photographed upon leaving the courthouse. He felt that enough shots had been taken when he entered. However, the camera men, over a score of them, waited for over an hour and he finally came out, paused for the pictures, and was thereupon rushed away to his home under guard in a waiting automobile.

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MURDERERS OF PAYMASTER ARE SENT TO THE ELECTRIC CHAIR
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to accept Vanzetti's word that he was "railroaded" and the sentiment among the prisoners is that Vanzetti "is going to chair wrong." But these men did not know what to say so they remained mute, only their faces showing their comradeship and their feeling of good will to the man they had grown to know so well.

Meanwhile, on Beacon hill, amid a piled up heap of telegrams and letters, sits the man who holds the lives of Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti between thumb and forefinger. The ordinary pen on the desk of Governor Fuller has the real weight in finally determining the fate of these two men.

From every section of the country, from every corner of the world, have come and hourly are coming messages urging Governor Fuller to grant clemency. Radical leaders, men who are not radicals, relatives and friends of the condemned men, rich men and poor men, have sent messages to this man whose power is supreme in this case, and Governor Fuller's one answer is:

"The evidence has never been presented to me, consequently I

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Many of the medical profession present expressed themselves as intensely interested in the plans as presented by Bollinger and Cannon.

The hospital plans call for a hospital of not less than 100 beds, which is the minimum needed, according to the survey made by the hospital committee. It is estimated that the cost of such a hospital, modern in every respect, will be approximately \$200,000, exclusive of the cost of a site.

The idea is to raise, if possible, \$75,000 locally, the remainder to be subscribed by outside capital. In introducing Mr. Bollinger and Mr. Cannon, Chairman Renwick explained that the hospital committee was convinced that one of Richmond's pressing needs was a general hospital, sufficient in size and equipment to keep Richmond hospital cases at home. He made clear that in view of the impending harbor bond issue, which is inevitable if Richmond is to keep abreast of its industrial development, the proposition of a city or a combined city and county hospital through a bond issue was out of the question. It therefore devolves upon private capital to provide the funds for a general hospital.

"In talking the matter over with your physicians and surgeons and both men and women engaged in work directly connected with hospitalization in Richmond, I believe it will be possible to raise \$75,000 in Richmond and its environs to start the \$250,000 fund necessary," said Bollinger. "The rest of the money I am sure can be secured from outside investors. Richmond needs a general hospital. That is the main thing. It now remains to get those citizens who realize this need to start the ball rolling. And it can be done and will be done, I can assure you."

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Capitol Despairs as Bachelor Bloc Gives Up Single Freedom

By Georgia Washington

WASHINGTON, April 9.—It's simply awful how these nice, eligible bachelors are getting away from us designing maidens—especially the senatorial non-beneficiaries! They're marrying!

Time was when there was a whole crew of them here; and what interesting, exciting dinner guests they did make! You know how hostesses like a string of unattached males to fill in with. And any party is a little the gayer for the presence of those potentially romantic gentlemen who have no wives.

But one by one, they're deserting the ranks and setting up domestic for two, just like any other prosaic men.

The last to go is former Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock of Nebraska, who some time soon will marry Miss Martha Harris of Memphis, Tennessee. It's a shame, say capital hostesses, no matter how attractive the bride may be. William McClellan Ritter started the ball rolling almost a year ago, by taking unto himself a wife in the person of pretty Anita Owen Bell of Petersburg, Va., thus ending his popular period of being an interesting "prospect."

And not long ago Senator Clarence Dill, of Washington, committed himself for life and created quite a commotion in Washington society by marrying Rosalie Jones of New York, as picturesque a person as the senator himself.

There will probably be more desertions from the single ranks before long. You never can tell.

where Dr. W. S. Lucas, Dr. E. W. Cunningham, Dr. Hall Vestal, Dr. M. Deininger Keser, Dr. U. S. Abbott, Dr. W. W. Cross, Dr. J. E. Hedges, Dr. G. M. Bumgarner, Dr. E. R. Guinan, Dr. L. A. Hewitt, Miss Driscoll of the Cottage hospital, E. M. Tilden, Walter T. Helms, P. M. Sanford, B. S. Sanders, Helen Kingsbury, T. H. De Lap.

Chairman Renwick of the hospital committee, will make a report to the directors of the chamber of commerce meeting next Wednesday, April 13, of the conference held last Monday evening.

President. He is Colonel Blanton Winship, who succeeds Colonel Sherwood A. Cheney.

Colonel Winship's single blessedness is a departure from custom, as a matter of fact. Junior aides at the White House must be bachelors, but married men are usually appointed to the posts of military and naval aides.

Colonel Winship is the imposing military person who was the "law member" of that August jury that tried Colonel Billy Mitchell about a year ago. He was the most intimate friend of the late Major Archie Butt, who was White House aide during the Roosevelt and Taft administrations.

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Corner Sixth and Biwell avenue, Frank A. Woten, pastor. Sunday school with L. A. Widner in charge, meets at 9:45. Community Men's Bible Class meets same hour in Odd Fellows' hall.

Preaching and Communion, 11. Subject of sermon, "What Is the Lord's Day For?" Solo, Miss Katherine Warner. Junior, Intermediate and Senior C. E. meetings, 6:30. Song service and sermon, 7:45. Subject of sermon, "The Inexplicable of Man's Unnaturalness." Solo, Mrs. S. A. Marshall. Choir and rehearsal for Easter, Monday and Thursday, 7 p.m. Midweek service Wednesday, at 7:45.

EAST RICHMOND PRESBYTERIAN CHAPEL

Thirty-first street between Clinton and Roosevelt avenue. Rev. J. Stark superintendent. You are invited to attend this neighborhood Sunday service.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH POINT RICHMOND

W. P. Grant, Pastor; George F. Hinesburg, Sunday school Superintendent; Mrs. Joseph Mythen and Mrs. G. Griffin, organists. 10 a.m.—Sunday school. 11 a.m.—Worship. A Palm day service, Subject, "Christ Proclaimed King." Special music by the choir. 7:30 p.m.—Union services at the Trinity Episcopal church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Tenth and Nevin avenue. Rev. Weldon M. Wilson, pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Sunday school. Subject is "Peter's Lesson in Trust." Classes for all ages. You are cordially invited to come and join one of these classes. Clyde E. Parker, Sunday school superintendent.

11 p.m.—Morning worship. Subject, "The Meaning of Calvary." A duet will be rendered by Anna Leaster and Grace Craven. The audience of believers in baptism will be administered. 6:30 p.m.—Baptist Young People's Union.

A dandy program has been arranged by the young ladies of the society. Miss Maxine Pruden, Ethel Bowman, Pauline McArthur, Dora Pruden, Virginia Vickery, Elsie Crigler, Catherine Alexander, and Mrs. W. M. Wilson are in charge. Come and enjoy a real good time with a lively group of young people.

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. "God's Blockade of the Road to Hell" will be the subject of the sermon, by Rev. Wilson. Guy Smith will sing a solo.

There will be baptism following the sermon. 7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Mid-week prayer service. 8 p.m.—Friday. The Baptist Young People shall hold a combined social and business meeting. All members are urged to be present.

WESLEY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner Ninth and Nevin avenue. C. G. Lindemann, minister. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Special Palm Sunday service at 11 a.m. Sermon, "The Triumph of Jesus." Baritone solo, "The Palms." W. J. Thompson, The Rite of baptism will be administered to adults and children at this service.

Senior Epworth league in the auditorium at 6:30 p.m. Intermediate Epworth league in the social rooms at 6:30 p.m. Popular evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Spirited song service, anthem, "Softly the Silent Night," by L. C. Brown; Illumination of the cross; sermon, "Paying the Piper," by the pastor.

Sunday school board supper and business meeting Monday evening at 6:15.

Prayer meeting service on Wednesday evenings at 7:30. Choir practice on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 7:30.

Children's meeting Wednesday afternoon in the social rooms of the church at 3:30. There was a fine crowd present last week. Send your children.

Circle No. 1 of the Aid Society meets with Mrs. Anna Greendyke, 724 Barrett avenue. Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Circle No. 5 of the Aid Society meets with Mrs. Olive Jackson, 733 Twenty-third street, Thursday afternoon at 2.

Next Sunday, Easter, will be a great day. There will be a sunrise service at Alvarado park in which all the Protestant churches will participate. The children of Wesley Sunday school will give their Easter program at the Sunday

school hour, 9:45.

At the 11 o'clock service the rite of baptism will be administered and a large class of candidates will be received into church membership. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock a beautiful Easter pageant will be given, entitled "Into Galilee." There will also be special Easter music by the choir, quartet and soloists, under the direction of Mrs. L. C. Brown. You will find a cordial welcome at all our services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Twelfth and Biwell avenue, Earl W. Haney, minister, residence 136 12th street, phone 1887-W. Study at the church, phone 1728-W. Church school at 9:45. A. H. Poase, superintendent. A graded Sunday school with junior and senior classes for all ages.

Palm Sunday. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Communion of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members. Message by Mr. Haney. "The King Comes to His Own." Solo, Miss Jessie Lambrecht, "The Palms."

Christian Endeavor societies will meet at 6:30. A Japanese program will be given in the senior intermediate, and Miss Leota Sloan will be the reader.

Evening worship at 7:30, with the Order of the DeMolay as guests. Message by Mr. Haney. "The Militant Soldier of the Cross." Duet by Mrs. Ross Calfee and S. A. Marshall. Violin solo by James Sulphizio.

At the beginning of Holy week, this church extends an invitation to all to come to church and meditate with us on the Passion of our Lord.

The girls of Westminster circle and the Light Bearers will visit Ming Qiong Tuesday. Gifts of jelly and canned fruit will be taken to the home.

The Men's club will meet Tuesday evening at 6:15. Make reservations with J. S. Long.

The prayer and praise service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. The subject will be "The Portent Out Life."

Plans are under way for a great Easter day. Sunrise service at the Richmond bowl. Special Easter music at the morning and evening services. Baptism of babies and little children at the morning service.

SAN PABLO BAPTIST CHURCH

Chas. L. Shook, pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Sunday school. Geo. V. MacCausland, superintendent.

11 a.m.—Morning worship. Palm Sunday music. Mrs. H. A. Stahl, choir director; Miss Jewel Jaquith, organist. Soprano solo, "The Palms," by Faure, Mrs. H. A. Stahl; Anthem, selected, the choir; sermon by the pastor, "In Obedience to His Blessed Command."

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.

Anthem by the choir. Sermon by the pastor, "What of the Church?"

Wednesday evening the Midweek prayer meeting. We are studying the Book of Acts and this week our subject is "The Gift of the Holy Spirit." Read the second chapter of Acts, and bring your Bible to the meeting. We are especially eager to have all of our new members to attend these meetings.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Masses will be said every Sunday at St. John's church at Stege Junction at 8:00 a.m. and 10 a.m. Between the two masses Sunday school will be held.

The Sisters of the Holy Family will conduct Catechism classes every Saturday morning at 9:30 for the children of the parish and a large attendance is expected.

SALVATION ARMY

Colonel Merriweather and Major Winterbottom of San Francisco will conduct special meetings in Richmond Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited.

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TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Washington and Nichol avenues, Richmond, Cal. Rev. Milton R. Terry, vicar; Mrs. Ruth Adair Brown, organist. 9:45 a.m.—Church school. Rev. Terry, superintendent.

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and sermon. 7:30 p.m.—Tuesday, choir practice.

2 p.m. Wednesday, Ladies' guild. Easter program at the Sunday Mrs. W. A. Janke, president.

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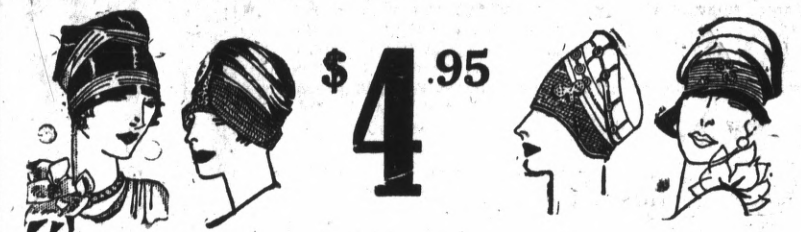
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SPORTS

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U. C. VARSITY CREW DEFEATS HUSKY EIGHT

(By Universal Service)
OAKLAND, April 9.—Sooner or later it had to happen. And today it did.

A California varsity crew, rowing in perfect form and with power to spare, once more crossed the finish line a winner over the Washington huskies, after five consecutive years of defeat. After the first half mile, the result was never in doubt. The Bears pulled steadily away from their opponents, showing water between the two boats at the mile mark and increasing the margin five lengths at the finish.

The winning time, over the three-mile Oakland estuary course, was 17 minutes, 7 seconds, which though not exceptionally good, was yet very fair considering the conditions of weather and water.

It was a great triumph for California, after the years of famine. And it was a fitting tribute to Coach Ky. Ebricht, who has labored three years now to install a rowing system for the Bears, to have his men come through in such splendid form.

In spite of the lowering skies and occasional showers one of the largest crowds that has ever witnessed a crew regatta on local waters, lined the banks of the estuary and jammed the bridges that marked the finish line.

Added to California's victory in the varsity event, was another win—the "Jayvee" race, which immediately preceded it over the same course. Here again the Bears led all the way, though they were able to win by but three-quarters of a length. The time was 17 minutes, 40-2-5 seconds.

Washington's consolation for the day was the freshman race, a two-mile pull, which opened the regatta program. Here Coach Al Urickson's husky babes fought their way to the finish line, just five feet ahead of their Bear op-

Baseball Mentor Sizes up Finish Of Nat. League Pennant Race

(By Universal Service)

NEW YORK, April 9.—Jack Hendrick's Cincinnati Reds, like the criticized disciples of the Bible, appear neither "hot nor cold," and in order to rate the 1926 runner-ups properly, it seems necessary to add another section to the usual first and second divisions of the league standings.

There are four reasons why Cincinnati, despite its famed pitching staff, does not quite belong in the first division. To enumerate briefly these are the Cardinals, Pittsburgh, the Cubs and the Giants.

Yet it is even more certain that the Reds, always a dangerous opponent, it being a nip and tuck affair all the way, the advantage swaying one way and then another by scant margins from start to finish. The time for this event was 11 minutes, 50-4-5 seconds.

Exceptionally cold weather, coupled with rain and even a hailstorm just preceding the freshman race, tended to make racing conditions anything but desirable.

The factors which played the principal part in the Bear victory were the advantage in weight and power, better form, and possibly better condition.

For the majority of the race both crews used a 33 stroke, California forging ahead by virtue of better spacing and longer run between strokes. At the finish they were rowing about 38 to the minute.

The work of Pete Donion, sophomore stroke, and Don Blessing, tactician little coxswain, left little to be desired. Setting a steady pace, with machine-like precision, the Bears finished strong and with every man erect.

Washington's oarsmen fought throughout the race gamely. At no point did they falter in their execution. But it was evident after they had crossed the line that they had put their all in the oars, as Glurup and Shaw, bow and No. 2 man respectively, were forced to lie prostrate in the boat for some seconds to recover sufficient wind and energy to take up their oars again.

team, do not belong in the same class with Brooklyn, the Boston Braves, and the Phillies.

It is quite a drop from runner-up position to second division, one that should require some explanation. We believe that Cincinnati's performance last year was a flash in the pan—that Hendrick's men played over their head. The only feature of the team which would carry it to the flag contendership class was its truly strong pitching staff—yet this cracked in the stretch sprint against the Cardinals last fall.

The staff will be no stronger this year with Luque dissatisfied if reports are to be believed, and with no new pitcher of any consequence added. The team, whose batting punch was nothing to brag of, will sorely miss the active stick of Eddie Roush. George Kelly, a better fielder than hitter, may fit into the lineup smoothly, and he may not. Kelly is one of the best first basemen in baseball, but so is Pipp, of Cincinnati. A star first baseman does not always make a star shortstop or second baseman though.

Kelly is one of baseball's most versatile players.

There seems little to choose between Brooklyn, Boston and Philadelphia. The only uncertainty that might raise one team above another, and even bring a first division berth, lies in the managers. Wilbert Robinson, like John McGraw has the reputation of doing remarkable things with hopeless material, and peppy Tuffy McGinnis may be just what the Phillies needed.

But with the exception of Babe Herman, the precocious first baseman, and Dazzy Vance, who did little dazzling last season, Brooklyn is as common looking as any main street. The Rookies who were expected to patch up the weakest looking infield in the league have apparently failed, despite Uncle Libbert's expert tutoring.

We choose Boston above Philadelphia because under Bancroft last year the team showed flashes of real form and at the end of the season the Braves machine was functioning so smoothly that it nearly wrecked the Cardinals pennant chances.

And finally the Phillies—it has been finally the Phillies for some years—they look like the same old Phillies, although Stuffy McGinnis may prove the wonder-worker Philadelphia National league fans have been praying for for years.

During the past winter the Seals' young southpaw prospect hurled for the Pullman team, runner-up in the Oakland mid-winter league. He pitched remarkable ball throughout the winter months, making an average of 15 strike-outs a game against the best Oakland teams.

This spring Gomez reported to the training camp of the San Francisco Seals at Boyes Springs, where he attracted favorable attention by his sensational work against the sluggers on the San Francisco team. Baseball experts at the camp marked Gomez as the best young prospect in years, comparing him in action and ability with "Dutch" Ruether, former St. Mary's college southpaw, who became one of the greatest pitchers in the American league.

LOCAL TWIRLER MAKES GOOD IN FIRST YEAR

"Lefty" Gomez, 17 Year Old Boy, To Join Utah-Idaho League

Vernon "Lefty" Gomez, sensational 17-year-old pitcher, of the Richmond Union high school baseball team last year, will be a member of the young twirler's release to the Logan club of the Utah-Idaho league this season.

News of the Logan team by the San Francisco Seals with whom he has been training this spring was received here yesterday. The former Richmond high athlete is under a contract to report to the San Francisco Seals in 1928, after a season in the Utah-Idaho league.

Gomez will leave in about three weeks to join the Logan outfit. For the next several Sundays he will pitch for the fast Oroville semi-pro team so as to stay in shape for the long season's grind.

Gomez first sprang into prominence as a pitcher three years ago with the Roosevelt Junior high school nine. Although but 14 years of age the youthful Pinole southpaw had more stuff on the ball than the average high school pitcher, with the result that his strike-out record during that season amounted to dizzy figures.

At the close of the school season Gomez was signed by Dick Austin to pitch for the Mercedville Trust company nine in the Richmond City League. Austin, one of the headiest catchers in bush circles, was the first to discover Gomez and was instrumental in having Nick Williams, then scout of the San Francisco Seals, come across the bay and watch the Pinole youth pitch against one of the city league teams. Gomez was immediately signed to a 1928 contract by Williams.

Last season Gomez pitched for Coach Ivan Hill's Richmond high school nine, and proved the class of prep school twirlers in the bay region. One of his most noteworthy achievements was the defeat of the California freshmen nine after his teammates had all but kicked the ball game away by frequent misplays.

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Local Sport Notes

Manager Paul Huston of the Pullman ball team made a ten strike this week when he signed "Lefty" Coleman, former Portland Beaver, to pitch for the railroaders. Coleman now in business in Berkeley, is a capable hurler and should settle the pitching problem that has been bothering Huston for the past several weeks.

Coleman will make his first start for the Pullman nine this afternoon against the Albany Merchants. The game will be played at San Pablo Park, Berkeley.

Pete Myers, who sprang into the fistic limelight here last year when he goaded George Eagles twice at Winter's pavilion, but who hasn't accomplished a great deal since, will tangle in a return bout with George McCormick Wednesday night at the Oakland auditorium.

Mickey Britton and Young Pancho Villa, well known to El Cerrito fight fans, will trade punches on the same bill.

Artie Schlupf, the grand old man of bush baseball, will again be in uniform with the opening of the summer season. Nature's most perfect example of perpetual youth signed a contract this week to play with the fast Burlingame club. Schlupf is one of the oldest veterans in the Standard Oil League, having played in the twilight circuit since its formation in 1919.

Roy Bliss, who pitched the Concord club to a championship in the Three-C League last summer, has also signed with Burlingame.

Members of the Richmond De Molay track team will hold their initial workout of the season this afternoon at 2 o'clock on the high school oval. The local cinder path athletes will take part in the De Molay championships to be held in May at the University of California oval.

Roland Locke, holder of the world's record for the 220-yard dash, who was defeated by Phil Barber, former University of California sprinter, yesterday afternoon on the Berkeley oval in an exhibition race, is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. William Cody Locke of 2890 Garvin avenue.

The former Bear captain beat Locke yesterday over one hundred yards in 10 seconds flat.

Joe Mellano, former Pullman second baseman, left yesterday afternoon to join the Wilson club of the South Atlantic league. Mellano played with the South Carolina club last season, but was a hold-out this spring due to salary differences.

Jimmy Cronin, former All Standard third sacker, will again be with the Springfield club of the Three-C League. Cronin is still a youngster and needs another season before he will be ready for big league ball.

Many bay region ball tossers cavort in the Utah-Idaho league where Gomez will make his initial start in organized ball. Andy Vargas, San Francisco Seal catcher for the past four years, will manage the Logan team, and incidentally, keep a careful eye on the development of the Seals' young southpaw phenom.

U. S. Trackman Defeat Corn Huskies

BERKELEY, April 9.—California trackmen overwhelmingly defeated the Nebraska cornhuskers in their inter-sectional track meet here this afternoon.

The final point score stood California 85, Nebraska 46.

The meet was featured by an exhibition sprint between Roland Locke, one of the world's speediest performers, and Phil Barber, former California flash, who defeated the former Nebraska star, doing the 100-yard dash in 10 seconds flat. Barber also took Locke's measure in an exhibition 220-yard dash. The time was 21-4-5 seconds.

Baseball Dope

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Missions	6	5	.555
San Francisco	6	5	.545
Seattle	6	5	.545
Portland	5	6	.455
Oakland	5	6	.455
Los Angeles	5	6	.455
Hollywood	2	8	.200

Yesterday's Results
Oakland 2, Portland 0.
San Francisco 13, Missions 1.
Seattle 3, Sacramento 2, (ten innings.)

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Missions 3, Oakland 2.
Missions 3, San Francisco 2.
Sacramento 3, Seattle 2.
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Games Today
Portland at Oakland, 10:30 a. m. and 2:45 p. m.
Missions at San Francisco.
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PACIFIC COAST 440 YARD RUN RECORD BROKEN

Emerson Spencer Misses
World Record By Two
Fifth Of A Second

Stamping himself as one of the greatest quarter milers in a decade, Emerson Spencer, former Richmond high school athlete, yesterday negotiated the 440-yard run in the sensational time of 47-4-5 seconds to break his own Pacific coast record of 48-1-5 seconds.

Spencer, wearing the colors of the Stanford Cardinal against the Southern California All Stars in the meet at Palo Alto, flashed his way around a rain-drenched oval in only two-fifths of a second under the world's record held by the great Ted Meredith.

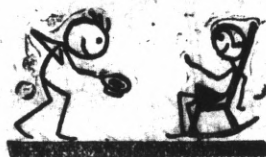
Critics declared last night that if Spencer had had a dry track he might have broken the record made by Meredith 11 years ago in Philadelphia.

This is the second record-breaking performance made by Spencer this season, the former Richmond trackster having won the quarter mile against the Hollywood Athletic club last month in 48-1-5 seconds.

Spencer is the nephew of W. L. Lane, former Richmond mayor.

COLFAX—Victory highway to be built from Colfax to Truckee at cost of \$22,850.

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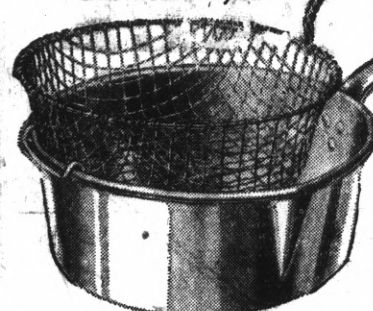


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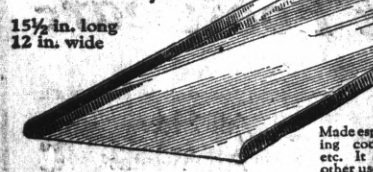
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AND PADDY THE
LAW, DRAW
CLOSELY UPON
THEM—WATCH
FOR TOMORROW'S
BIG THRILL!

Americans Stampede To Reach Protection Of U. S. Battleships

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age again is getting its share of attention from the foreigners. A survey of the situation has shown that there are 2,630 pickets in Shanghai, not suppressed. Of these, 1,530 have pistols, rifles and axes. The group has, also, three machine guns. These are nearly 1,000 unarmed pickets.

The general labor union has issued a statement, denying any plans to attack the international settlement, but the authorities believe that these Guerillas are a decided menace.

The movement of the Shantung troops against the Nationalists is reported to be of huge dimensions. Thousands of Nationalist forces are being transported to Pukow from Nanking in the effort to force back the Shantungese.

Casualties are reported to be extremely heavy.

PEKING, April 9.—All American properties in the Yangtse valley are being closed gradually, according to reports received today from the various American Consuls.

American Consul Vincent, at Changsha, reports that the consulate has been sealed. He and twelve other Americans have left Changsha on the American gunboat Palao.

American Consul Swainy, at Tsinan, reports that 285 Americans have concentrated at Tsinan-Ho and Tien-Tsin. Seventy Americans have remained at the Tsinan district.

American Consul Adams, at Chung-King, reports that he is leaving on the American gunboat Monocacy. The Elcano, and other American merchantmen, have left Ichang, where the Standard Oil property has been sealed.

American Consul Leroy Webber, at Chefoo, reports that all the Americans in the Chefoo district have been concentrated under the protection of the United States destroyer Preston. The group of the United States destroyer Preston. The group includes 24 men, 51 women and 45 children. All missions in the district have been closed and turned over to the Chinese.

By WILLIAM P. FLYTHE
(By Universal Service)
WASHINGTON, April 9.—Americans in all of North China are in a wild rush today to reach Tientsin for the protection by American warships before they are cut off from rescue by the encircling armies, the state department was advised.

What promised to be an orderly evacuation has apparently turned into a stampede and the North China port is rapidly being filled with Americans and other

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foreigners. The city is being barricaded, taking on the appearance of an armed camp similar to Shanghai.

The danger is so pressing that practically all of the territory from Peking in the North to the Yangtse river in the south is being evacuated, this includes the provinces of Kiangsu, Anhwei, Shantung, Kansu, Honah, Shansi and Chihli, have been completely evacuated, except for the city of Tientsin in Chihli.

Peking, the Chinese capital, is also being evacuated as rapidly as possible, women and children being sent out first. They are traveling over the Peking-Tientsin railway, which is being kept open by a regiment of American infantry and other foreign guards.

The state department has no further illusions about the security of foreign lives in North China until today the impression prevailed that General Chano Tso-An, Manchurian war lord at Peking, would protect all foreigners in that region. Now there is grave doubt of his ability to do so and an uprising among the Japanese sympathizers is momentarily feared.

Foreigners in the two provinces who evacuated in precipitate flight today must have sensed this danger, officials declared, as no new warnings had been issued to them.

The American Consul at Chefoo informed the state department today that all American missions, both Presbyterian and Baptist, in his consular district have either been closed or turned over to the Chinese, and that the missionaries have arrived at Chefoo. The destroyer Preston has arrived at the port to protect them in the event of an emergency.

The refugees will probably be kept there indefinitely. It was stated, Chefoo thus becoming another port where the foreign government will establish armed camps.

The British from this district have been ordered by their government to Wei Hai Wei, a port further south.

The American Consul at Tsinan telegraphed that although the situation there is quiet all Americans in the Anhwei and Kiangsu had been evacuated to either Tientsin or Tsinan. There were about 285 Americans in the group. He reports that about 70 Americans remain, and these are soon to go. All of the women and children, both British and American have departed, leaving behind only the men.

(By Universal Service)
SHANGHAI, April 9.—Nationalist troops, sweeping toward Tientsin, were forced into ignominious retreat today by the opposing Shantung forces, reports indicate. Shantung bombing airplanes got in some deadly work over the Nationalist lines.

The fray was most intensive north of Kiangsu, in the province of Anhwei.

(By Universal Service)
SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The Dollar liner President Grant, which arrived yesterday from the Orient, was today "rented" by the government to transport marine supplies to China. It was announced at marine corps headquarters.

SCHEDULE FOR SEASON OF S. O. LEAGUE GIVEN

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Billy Lane, former Seattle Indian. Lane, who has led Pacific Coast league base stealers for season after season, was released this spring to the Texas league. Rather than end his baseball days in a circuit of less than AAA classification, Lane decided to retire from the game.

He will appear in center field for the Mechanics, which were weakened by the transfer of Willis Butler to the Barrel House club. Butler will manage the Barrel House aggregation, replacing Rod Allen, who will share the umpire duties with Spike Elder this season.

Pop Arlett succeeds Cliff Cleek as manager of the Mechanics, while Pat Transue will again be at the helm of the All Standards. Chick Autry will again guide the destinies of the Refiners.

Howard French is again president of the circuit, with Thomas Shea again serving as vice president. H. M. Flint will be treasurer and George Shaw, secretary. The latter took an active part in the early activities of the league and should handle the duties of official score keeper in a capable fashion.

The complete schedule for the 1927 season follows:

Wednesday, May 4—Refinery vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, May 5—Barrel House vs. All Standards.

Wednesday, May 11—Mechanics vs. Barrel House.

Thursday, May 12—All Standards vs. Refinery.

Wednesday, May 18—All Standards vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, May 19—Refinery vs. Barrel House.

Wednesday, May 25—All Standards vs. Barrel House.

Thursday, May 26—Mechanics vs. Refinery.

Wednesday, June 1—Refinery vs. All Standards.

Thursday, June 2—Barrel House vs. Mechanics.

Wednesday, June 8—Barrel House vs. Refinery.

Thursday, June 9—Mechanics vs. All Standards.

Wednesday, June 15—Refinery vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, June 16—Barrel House vs. All Standards.

Wednesday, June 22—Mechanics vs. Barrel House.

Thursday, June 23—All Standards vs. Refinery.

Wednesday, June 29—All Standards vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, June 30—Refinery vs. Barrel House.

Wednesday, July 6—All Standards vs. Barrel House.

Thursday, July 7—Mechanics vs. Refinery.

Wednesday, July 13—Refinery vs. All Standards.

Thursday, July 14—Barrel House vs. Mechanics.

Wednesday, July 20—Barrel House vs. Refinery.

Thursday, July 21—Mechanics vs. All Standards.

Wednesday, July 27—Refinery vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, July 28—Barrel House vs. All Standards.

Wednesday, August 3—Mechanics vs. Barrel House.

Thursday, August 4—All Standards vs. Refinery.

Wednesday, August 10—All Standards vs. Mechanics.

Thursday, August 11—Refinery vs. Barrel House.

*Toss for home team.

In discussing the use of a merchantman to transport troops, an officer of the marine corps said: "The government has not commandeered or chartered the President Grant from the Dollar line. When the transport Henderson sailed from San Diego, it was found that she was unable to carry the full quota of marines and supplies. There being no government vessel available to carry the men and supplies left behind, the government decided to rent the President Grant.

The President Grant will sail on or before April 20 from San Diego, it was stated. She will proceed under full speed for Shanghai. The President Grant is one of the fastest passenger liners in the Pacific and can do better than 21 knots an hour over long periods. Her present skipper, Captain M. M. Jensen, and crew will remain in charge.

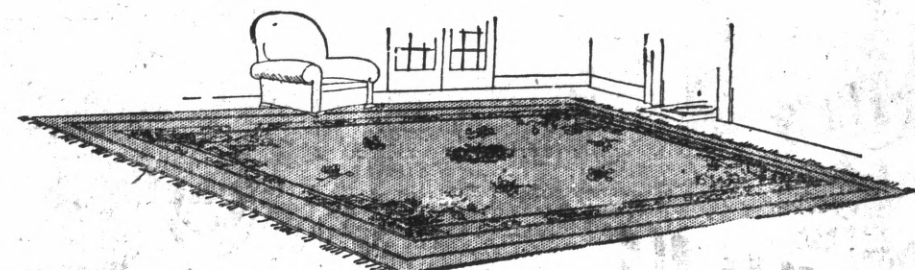
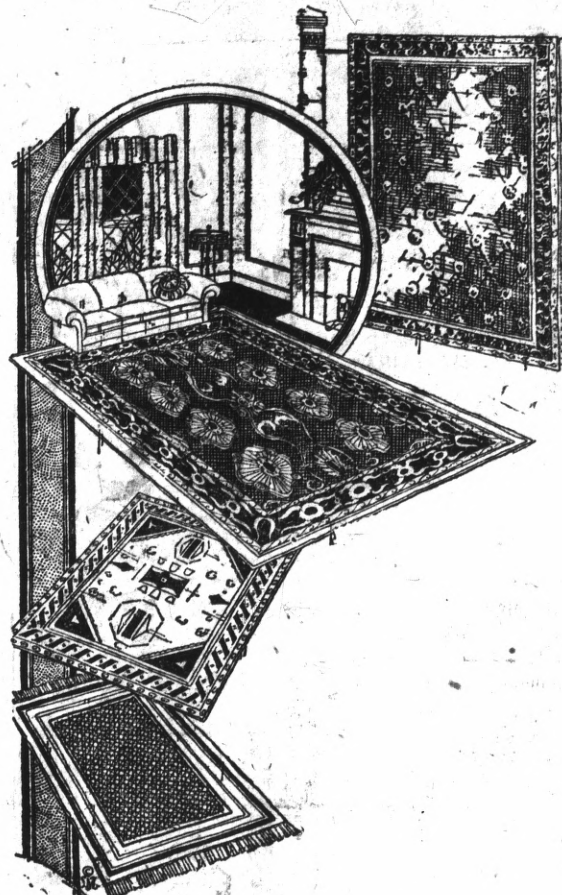
SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—At the request of the Japanese government the N. Y. K. liner Korea Maru, which was scheduled to sail from Shanghai today, will delay her departure until Sunday to assist in removing refugees from China to Nagasaki, Japan, according to a message received at the local office of the steamship company tonight.

The Korea Maru sailed from this port for Shanghai on March 15, arriving at the Chinese port yesterday. She was due to have sailed on her return voyage to San Francisco today.

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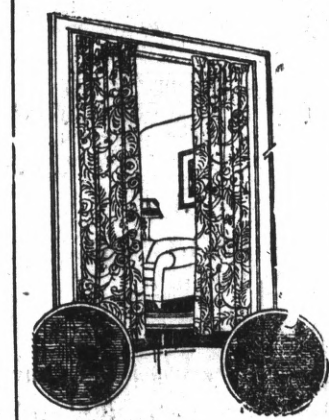
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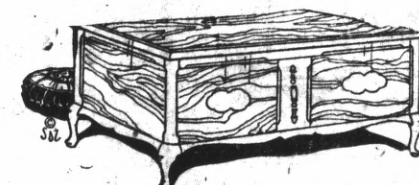


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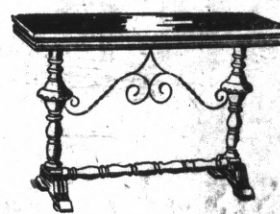
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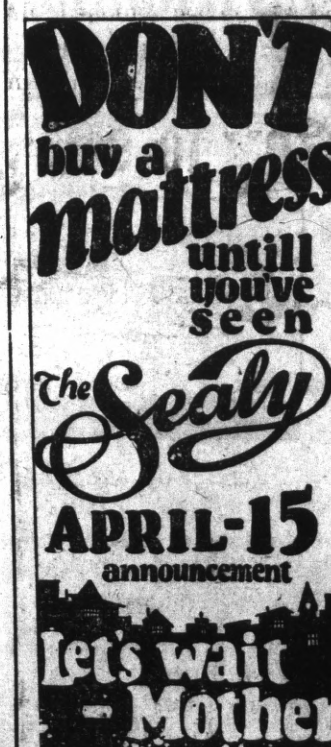
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